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In re Application of:

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Title: METHOD FOR ISOLATING AND PURIFYING GRASS POLLEN ALLERGENS

**REPLY TO NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE AND  
REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notification of Defective Response mailed on July 9, 2002, it is respectfully requested that the original inventorship be amended so as to delete Sabine Schoen as an inventor.

In addition to this request, attached are the following:

- (1) A statement by Sabine Schoen indicating that the error in inventorship occurred without her deceptive intention.
- (2) A Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney executed by the actual inventors.
- (3) The processing fee of \$130.00 set forth in § 1.17(i); and
- (4) A statement by the Assignee agreeing to the inventorship change.

In accord with MPEP § 605.04(g), a copy of the original Declaration is attached wherein the changes are noted in red ink in the left margin.

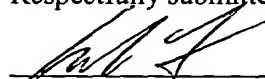
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If there are any informalities regarding this request, it is courteously requested that Counsel be telephoned so as to expeditiously resolve any unforeseen issues.

Respectfully submitted,



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